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CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

Municipal By-Law for the Destruction of Thistles.

We, the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, in Council convened by virtue of the power and authority vested in us by an act entitled 'The Victoria Municipal Ordinance, 1867, and 'The Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance, 1869,'

Whereas great injury and loss have been and are occasioned to the lands within the limits of the City of Victoria by the spread of the plant known as the Thistle, and it is desirable that measures be taken to prevent its further diffusion.

Be it therefore enacted by the said Mayor and Council that from and after the passing of this By-Law, as follows:—

1. If at any time after the passing of this By-Law any owner, lessee or occupier of land within the limits of the City of Victoria aforesaid, upon which land any of the plants commonly known as the Thistle shall be growing, shall not within seven days after any notice in writing that such Thistles are growing upon such land signed by the Mayor of the City of Victoria shall have been served upon such owner, lessee or occupier, or left for him at his usual or last known place of abode, effectually destroy all of the said plants so known as the Thistle then growing and being upon such land, every such owner, lessee or occupier being convicted thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Twenty-five dollars [$25] and not less than Five dollars [$5], and such penalty may be recovered and the matter thereof heard and determined by a Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices of the Peace in a summary way

Provided that it shall be lawful for any such Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices to suspend any conviction upon its being proved to his or their satisfaction that the person so receiving such notice has used and is using reasonable exertions to destroy such plants. Provided further that no information shall be laid against any owner of such lands until the provisions of this By-law shall have been enforced against the occupier or lessee of such land upon which such Thistles may or shall be found. Provided further that no second information against such owner, occupier or lessee shall be laid within thirty days after any previous conviction.

2. If there shall be no occupier or lessee of any such land, or such occupier or lessee or the owner of such land shall be unknown or absent from the Colony, and such occupier, lessee or owners shall have no known agent resident in the Colony, then such notice as aforesaid may be affixed in some conspicuous place upon such land and shall also be published in some newspaper circulating in the said city, and every notice so affixed and published shall be deemed and taken to be sufficient notice to the occupier, lessee or owner of such land from the time of its being so affixed and published.

Provided that it shall not be necessary for any such last mentioned notice to specify the name of any person, lessee or owner of the land therein referred to, and provided also that no owner of any land shall be liable to any payment beyond the expense of and occasioned by the destruction and eradication of the Thistles growing, and being upon such land as hereinafter provided together with costs of suit by reason merely of any notice having been so affixed as last aforesaid. Provided that such notice shall contain a description of the particular portion of such land intended to be affected thereby.

3. If any such owner, lessee or occupier shall for the space of seven days refuse or neglect to destroy the Thistles specified in any such notice, it shall and may be lawful for any person authorized in writing in that behalf by the Mayor to destroy and eradicate the same, and for that purpose with sufficient assistants to enter upon any such lands in respect whereof any such notice shall have been given as aforesaid, and the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria shall be entitled to recover from such owner, lessee or occupier the expense of and attending such destruction and eradication, such expenses to be assessed and allowed by a Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices of the Peace together with costs of suit, by action or plaint in any court of competent jurisdiction, or by proceedings in a summary manner before a Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices, as if such amount had been a pecuniary penalty awarded by such Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices and which action plaint or proceedings may be commenced, instituted, had and taken in the name of the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria.

4. It shall be lawful for any person authorized in writing in that behalf by the Mayor of the City of Victoria without notice to enter upon any such lands, whether enclosed or not, for the purpose of ascertaining if any such Thistles are growing, and being thereupon, and no such person shall be deemed a trespasser by reason of such entry, or be liable for any damage thereby occasioned unless the same was occasioned by such person wilfully and without necessity.

5. Upon complaint being duly made to the Mayor that any such Thistles are suspected to be growing or are growing upon any such land, the said Mayor shall make an order in writing for some person to enter upon such land to search and ascertain if there are any such Thistles growing, and being thereupon, or as the case may be, shall sign such notice to the owner or occupier of any such land as hereinafter provided, and also upon being satisfied that such Thistles are growing and that such notice has been served or left or affixed and advertised as herein provided, shall make an order for the destruction and eradication of any such Thistles as aforesaid growing and being upon any such land by some person to be named in such order, the expense of which shall be recoverable as hereinbefore provided.

6. The expenses of and attending any such destruction and eradication of the plants commonly known as the Thistle when adjudged, assessed or allowed, as hereinbefore is mentioned, if the same shall be unpaid, unrecovered or unsatisfied thereafter for a period of Thirty days, shall together with all costs, if any, and the costs of registration hereinafter mentioned, bear interest until paid at the rate of eighteen dollars per cent per annum, and together with all such costs and all interest accrued and thenceforth to accrue shall be registered as a charge against the land in respect of which, or of the owners, lessees or occupiers whereof such expenses and monies were so adjudged assessed and allowed as aforesaid and a certificate under the hand of the Mayor stating the amount so adjudged, assessed or allowed, unrecovered and unsatisfied, and describing the said last mentioned land, shall be a sufficient authority to the Registrar General of Titles of British Columbia to effect such registration, and upon a like certificate of payment the said registration shall be cancelled.

7. All monies recoverable under this By-law shall be paid over and appropriated in the manner described in 'The Municipal Fines Ordinance, 1870.'

8. In the construction of this By-law the words 'the plant' commonly known as 'the Thistle,' and the word 'Thistle' shall be held to include all plants commonly known by the name of Thistles, and shall also be held to include the plants known by the Botanical names of 'Carduus Palustris,' 'Carduus Marianus,' 'Carduus Benedictus,' 'Carduus Lanceolatus,' 'Onopordum Acanthium,' and 'Xanthium Spinosum.'

9. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as 'The By-law for destroying Thistles, 1870.'

Passed the Municipal Council the 16th day of July, A. D. 1870.

JAMES TRIMBLE, Mayor.
WM. LEIGH, Clerk to Municipal Council.

Confirmed and allowed this Twenty-third day of July, A. D. 1870.

A. MUSGRAVE, GOVERNOR.

Notices.

NOTICE.

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Victoria, July 1, 1870 jy1

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JAMES McDONALD,
PETER CRUIKSHANK,
JOHN JORMAN,
BARNABUS ARBUCKLES,

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS OR demands on the estate of the late CHARTRES BREW Esquire, of Richfield, British Columbia, deceased, are requested to furnish the same forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to or having any property of the said deceased are desired forthwith to pay or deliver the same to

THOS. ALLSOP,
Government street, Victoria, V.I.
Attorney in fact and Agent for Capt. W A MOUATT, The Executor.
Dated Victoria, V I, 19th July, 1870. jy20

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.
je30 LD. LOWENBERG

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE TRUSTEES of the Estate of Spratt & Kriemler must be handed in at the office of the Albion Iron Works by Tuesday evening, July 12, 1870; after that date they will not be allowed. EDGAR MARVIN, } Trustees
JY9 J ROBERTSON STEWART }

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
NOTICE.

THE RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED upon Deposit Receipts issued by this Bank from this date will be as follows:

Deposits for 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.
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W. C. WARD,
Victoria, July 19, 1870. Manager.
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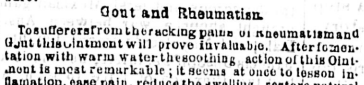
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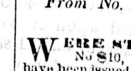
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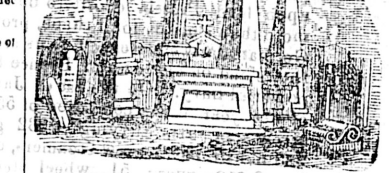
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S P MOODY,
GEO. DIETZ,
HUGH NELSON.

Burrar dInlet, British Columbia, July 1, 1870. jy1

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Thursday Morning, August 4, 1870.

Parties and Predilections.

The clandestine treaty which is so largely occupying the attention of Europe at the present moment is chiefly important in so far as it may be regarded as the index to the mind and will—the motives and plans of the Emperor of the French. That the treaty is of French origin may safely be assumed. All the disclaimers and protestations of Ollivier can never divest it of the Napoleonic impress. When the present difficulty first broke out the world was puzzled to discover any real cause of war. Spain was a sovereign and independent nation, and might be presumed to have, equally with France or any other independent nation, the right of choosing a monarch. Spain was no ward, no dependent of France; and it was surely not for the elect of France, the great political engineer of *plebiscites*, to deny to her the right of choosing her own monarch. When to this was added the prompt and full disclaimer put forth by Prussia as to any connection with, or responsibility for, the candidacy of Prince Leopold, it became quite impossible to accept the Spanish question as the real French grievance. The true reason is to be found in a combination of circumstances which the clandestine treaty, that has been dragged into daylight at a moment most inconvenient for Napoleon, will greatly aid in explaining. It matters comparatively little now, however, what were the precise circumstances and motives that impelled Napoleon to seek a war with Prussia at the risk of involving all Europe in the struggle. That he has not hesitated to assume alll the terrible responsibilities involved in such a step has now become a matter of history. Let us glance at the immediate parties to this most unjustifiable and unchristian strife. Prussia can in all probability put more soldiers in the field than France—that is, more fighting men, and she can place in their hands, as it would appear, a more deadly weapon. In military tactics they are probably about equal. But Prussia will possess that advantage which mind possesses over matter. Every male subject between the ages of twenty and fifty is not only a soldier but a scholar. In this respect Prussia possesses a system peculiar to herself; and it will be found that 'Intelligence is Power' in the battle-field, as well as everywhere else. In finances—the sinews of war—Prussia will possess an advantage over her antagonist. The public debt of France is considerably over two billion and a half dollars; that of Prussia falls under a quarter of a billion! The question of generalship is one upon which we do not care to venture a decided opinion at the present time. That Prussia is not deficient in that important respect recent events sufficiently testify. Half a century of comparative peace leaves us without equal means of judging France; yet it is fair to say that she has never been found deficient in this respect. Thus it would appear that, upon land Prussia ought to be rather more than a match for France, provided German unity endures. Let us see how they stand on old ocean: France has a powerful navy. On the 1st of January of last year it was composed of 55 iron screw steamers, carrying 1.032 guns; 233 non-ironclad screw steamers, carrying 2.618 guns; 51 wheel steamers carrying 116 guns; 100 sailing vessels, carrying 914 guns. Total, 439 vessels, carrying 4.680 guns. In addition to these there were in course of construction 8 screw ironclad steamers, with 69 guns, and 33 non-ironclad steamers, with 144 guns. The French naval force consists of 72.446 men. Prussia, a few years ago, was contemptible on the seas. During recent years she has made marvellous strides, and is now a formidable naval power—so much so that Bismarck has been enabled recently to assert that the Prussian navy is now second to none on the Baltic Sea. Since 1860 vessel after vessel has been rapidly launched, and, although still very far behind France, in so far as the number of men, guns and ships are concerned, her navy is quite formidable indeed, and is being increased as rapidly as human efforts will admit of. According to the latest returns the fleet of Prussia was composed of 99 vessels, carrying 637 guns. The vessels in commission are manned by 5 012 sailors, 737 engineers, 370 carpenters and mechanics, 192 warrant officers, and 255 officers. In addition to these there is a reserve of 4.156 men, which can be called upon at any time, and a second reserve, called *see wehr*, which acts only in time of war, and may be translated sea militia. Taking mere count of noses and number of ships and of guns, the Prussian navy would still appear to fall immeasurably below that of France; but it would be a great mistake to confine the comparison to that basis alone. In modern warfare it is not so much the number as the quality that tells. In the 99 vessels comprising the Prussian fleet is the King William, 5 938 tons, which is considered the most formidable ship afloat. She was built in England for the Sultan of Turkey, but as he had not the cash ready it was snapped up by Bismarck. The armament of the King William consists of 23 guns—but *such* guns! They are of the heaviest calibre known; manufactured of the famous Krupp steel, at the works in Westphalia. Her steam power is 1,150 horse, and she has a crew of 600 men. The Renown, 7,500 tons, although a larger ship, is less heavily armed, and has only 1,200 horse-power. Her armor consists of four 11-inch guns, six 96-pounders, twelve 72-pounders, and twelve 24-pounders on the upper deck. The crew amounts to 1000 men, exclusive of the officers The *Renown* was built at Kiel. There is on the stocks at Wilhelmshafen the heavy ironclad frigate Grosser Kurfurst, and at Kiel, the Frederick the Great of the same class. The Hansa, also a heavy ironclad, is nearly completed at Dantzic, where the steam frigate Araidne is in course of building, as also the steam sloops Albatross and Nautilus. Arrangements have also been made for building eleven iron-clads of the largest size, eleven double banked frigates, seven heavy sloops, and three transports. It will be admitted, therefore, that if Prussia is a formidable enemy on land, she is no mean one on the sea. Regarding the position likely to be taken by the other nations in reference to this unholly war, it would be idle to speculate at the present time. On this point, as as well as upon most others connected with the war, the news which has reached us is too contradictory, and unintelligible to be of much use for such a purpose. It is stated that so far as our own nation is concerned, both popular and official feeling goes with Prussia. Close allies during the last sixteen years, the French and English had almost ceased to think of each other as ancient enemies, and it may well be taken for granted that nothing lower than the honor or the nation would induce Great Britain to make an active enemy of an old and faithful ally. Yet it is scarcely surprising that British feeling should go with Prussia. The war is too wanton and unprovoked to receive the sanction of a peaceful power, and it must be remembered that there exist strong ties of friendship between the Court of St. James and that of Berlin. For obvious reasons Russia, while inclining towards Prussia, will remain neutral as long as possible. Alexander II has proved a firm friend of William I ever since he ascended the throne in 1854. Nearly related to him, he is a man of enlightened views, and is apt to be found on the side of progress. Napoleon has scarcely a right to expect either sympathy or co-operation from the credulous and confiding Hapsburg. He left Austria in the lurch in 1866, and he abandoned her Prince in a foreign country, after having induced him to take the principal hand in the dangerous and fatal Mexican game. He brought about a war between Austria and Italy, and Napoleon's troops fought against Francis Joseph's soldiers, because the former had the Province of Nice to gain, and put Victor Emanuel under obligations to him With such a score standing against France, it is difficult to see why Austria should take any part in the present struggle; and it is not impossible that the advice of Barou Von Beust may prevail upon the Emperor of Austria, who is also King of Hungary, to stand aloof. The powerful Republic which divides the continent with us, occupies a peculiar position in relation to the present war. France doubtless won the fervent gratitude of Americans in their memorable struggle for independence; but it may be questioned whether that was not fully countervailed by the part she took during the recent Civil War, in her anxiety to induce Great Britain to join her in a formal recognition of the Southern Confederacy. Assuming that, in so far as these two events are concerned, she has a clean slate with France, the Republic can have little sympathy in common with that power in the present struggle; and, moreover, the German element in the United States is now sufficiently strong to make itself felt in the nation. It does not surprise us, therefore, to hear that popular feeling throughout the Republic runs high against France. Should there be any truth in the reported intention of France to take advantage of the present difficulty in order to get possession of the Islands of Cuba and Porto Rico, the attitude of the Republic may be suddenly changed, and something more than a moral support accorded to Prussia. The United States is not likely to stand quietly by and allow Napoleon to attack the Antilles.

Dominion Mail Summary.

A new salt strike had been made at Seaforth, 30 miles east of Goderich. According to latest accounts they had sunk through solid salt to a depth of 100 feet without any indication of getting through the stratum. Each lift of the sand-pumps brought up over a bushel of beautiful, pure and clear chrystals of rock salt. It was the intention of the proprietor to drill through it, if he could do so without fetching the Indian Ocean. The salt bed is said to be without a parallel on the North American Continent. Sir John A. and Lady Macdonald had gone to Prince Edward Island. The health of Sir John was steadily improving, but there appears to be a growing doubt whether he will ever recover sufficiently to justify a return to active public life. It was understood at Ottawa that the Imperial Government have decided to garrison Quebec as well as Halifax. Bishop Tache, of Red River, had arrived at Montreal. The Pope has named the Hon. Mr. Langevin Commander of the Order of St. Gregory. The Hon. Dr. Tupper was amongst his constituents. He had sprained his ancle severely and was confined to his room at Amherst. Mr. Alexander McKenzie, leader of the Opposition, was in New Brunswick. He had several invitations to address the people upon the political topics of the day. Messrs F. & R. White, having severed their connection with the Hamilton *Spectator*, take possession of the Montreal *Gazette*. Sir R. Hodgson, Administrator of the Government of Prince Edward Island, was at Ottawa. The revenue of the Dominion for the month of June was $1,442,388.98, and the expenditure $649,899 98. Refering to the Province of Ontario and the Pacific Railway, the Toronto *Leader* says, 'we should be sorry to doubt for a moment that this fine and wealthy province would be either backward or nigardly in the extent of assistance it is prepared to give to this grand railway enterprise. There is no reason to harbor such a thought. The railway is a necessity of our being; and Ontario cannot afford and will not stand in the way of the prosecution of an undertaking so largely calculated to develop our resources and build up the 'new nationality' in North America. The negotiations between the Dominion and the local governments will no doubt be entered upon as soon as Attorney-General Macdonald returns from the east, whither he has gone on public business.'

MR GEO OTTO has removed his Barber's establishment to one door above Murray's butcher shop, on Johnson street. Shaving, 12½ cents; Hair-cutting, 25 cents. *

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GAME of all kinds in season.

POULTRY in all seasons.

FRESH BUTTER AND EGGS always on hand au4

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Vogel, Loerz & Timmen, of the Victoria Brewery, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Jacob Loerz will receive all outstanding debts and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.

JACOB LOERZ.

Victoria, the 28th of July, 1870. au4 7wd&w

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Notice is hereby given that a Reward of Five Hundred Dollars will be given by the Government for such information as will lead to the detection and conviction of the party or parties concerned in causing the said fire.

By Command. B. W. PEARSE,
Assistant Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, 30th July, 1870. au3 1md&w

NOTICE

MR. W. C. ROBINSON IS NO LONGER authorized to collect for our account.

R. BRODRICK & CO.

Victoria, 2d August, 1870, au3

NOTICE.

THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE St Andrew't and Caledonia Society will be held at New Dominion Hall, Colonist Buildings, on Friday the 5th inst, at 8 o'clock, p.m.

au3 JOHN ROSS, Secretary.

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AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held in the Council Chambers, corner of Broad street and Trounce alley, Victoria, on Friday the 5th day of August next, at 1 o'clock, p.m, for the purpose of confirming the special resolutions passed at the Ordinary General meeting held on Wednesday the 20th instant.

J H GASTON, Sec'y.

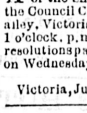
Victoria, July 28th, 1870. jy29

GREAT REDUCTION.

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M D.

Mechanical & Surgical Dentist,

GRADUATE OF HARVARD COLLEGE, MASS.



DR. BARNARD, GRATEFUL to the public for the liberal patronage extended him the past four years, takes pleasure in announcing that, owing to the exigency of the times, he will now insert whole or partial Sets of Teeth at the Lowest Remunerative Rates.

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Patience and Gentleness are the governing principles of his office

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Victoria, July 26, 1870. jy27

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SUPERIOR MOLASSES. For sale by

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New Advertisements.

Albion Iron Works.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS RECENTLY CARRIED on by the undersigned as Trustees for the Creditors of J Spratt and J Kriemler, under an assignment to them dated 12th of April, 1866, has been disposed of to Capt. William Irving, who has purchased the book-debts and stock in connection therewith.

The undersigned hereby intimate that their connection with the business has ceased.

J. ROBERTSON STEWART,
jy31 1m EDGAR MARVIN.

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—AT—

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	ENTRANCE.	PRIZE
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Foot Race, 200yds	25	3 00
Three-legged Race, 100yds	25	3 00
Sack Race, 100yds	25	3 00
Wheelbarrow Race, 200yds	25	3 00
Men with Riders, 100yds	25	3 00
Crawling Race, 100yds	25	3 00
Backward Race, 100yds	25	3 00
Bobbing for Dumplings		2 00
Apples in Water		25
Dipping in Treacle and Flour for Half-Dollars.		
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Archery		pr White Gauntlets

During the afternoon there will be

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GRAND TIGHT-ROPE ASCENSION, (al a Blondin), by Mr J COORE, of the Nelson Hippodrome, who has kindly volunteered.

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jy17 T. H. LONG, Hon. Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WITHDRAWS from the management of the ALBION IRON WORKS from this date. J. KRIEMLER.

Victoria, July 30th, 1870. jy31

Albion Iron Works.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURchased the business of the ALBION IRON WORKS, the same will be carried on in all its branches under the management of Mr JOSEPH SPRATT.

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Copartnership Notice.

MR JOHN H. BRODIE WAS ADMITTED, in London, as a Partner into our Firm on the sixth day of June last. In consequence thereof our business will, from this date, be carried on under the style or firm of

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,

who will assume all the obligations of the present Firm, and receive and grant discharges for all sums due to them

FINDLAY & DURHAM.

Victoria, V.I, July 19th, 1870. jy20 2w

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To the Trade.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Thursday Morning, August 4, 1870.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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Aug 3—Stmr Otter, Lewis, New Westminster
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Auction Sales To-Day.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN....Yates street.....Will sell at the residence of Rev Mr Cave, South Saanich, at 12 o'clock Household Furniture, Piano, Engravings, Growing Crops, Poultry, &c.

REMOVAL.

The offices of the Daily and Weekly British Colonist have been removed to Smith's Building, Government street, where orders may be left.

LAKE SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The Lake District School was yesterday examined by Hon. Mr Alston, Inspector of Schools, and the members of the Local Board. After a very minute and careful examination of the different classes (all of which evinced considerable aptness in the branches under study) Mr Alston expressed himself highly pleased with the progress made. Mr Gibbs, teacher, and Mr Manson, Secretary of the Local Board, then distributed the prizes, which were adjudged as follows, viz:

1ST, CLASS — General Scholarship—James Cheeseman.

Natural History and *Geography*—Cedra Cheeseman.

Arithmetic—James Spotts.

Penmanship—Caspar Von Allman.

English Grammar—Joseph Farr.

Good Behaviour—*Mary* Von Allman.

2D. CLASS.—Reading and Geography—Maria *Manson*.

Spelling, &c—Albert Spotts.

History—Margaret Von Allman.

3D. CLASS. — Elementary Tables — *Minnie* Lindsey.

Printing on Slate—Emily Von Allman.

Oral Exercises—Annie Stephens.

4TH. CLASS.—Attention and Deportment—Annie *Manson* and David Stevens.

The children were neat and tastefully dressed and presented an appearance highly creditable to the district.

FROM THE MAINLAND,—The steamer Otter, Capt Lewis, arrived from New Westminster at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, bringing Messrs Robertson, McCollough, Franklin, and a few other passengers.....The gaol is being renovated under the superintendence of Mr McBride, the new Warden....The Health Bylaw, having been confirmed by the Governor, is now in force at New Westminster....Alex Wilson, a native of Nashville, Davison Co, Tennessee, U S, a lunatic confined in the gaol, died on Sunday morning last, aged 40. After a postmortem examination by Dr Black and a careful review of the evidence, a verdict was brought in by the Coroner's jury of 'died by the visitation of God.' The cause of death, softening of the brain.

THE CIRCUS.—The Scottish piper McKie's benefit last evening was a bumper. Mr Conlin, the Irish piper, and the beneficiary both played on the instruments peculiar to their respective countries and were overwhelmed with applause. The Nelson Brothers, Mr Duvani, Mr Cooke, and the remainder of the talented troupe were as successful as usual in the parts assigned them, and were immensely applauded.....This afternoon an extra performance will be given (children 25 cents and adults 50 cents), and this evening there will be a change of programme. On Friday evening they will perform under the patronage of the Fleet.

THE SHOW.—At a meeting of the Agricultural and Horticultural Society, held in New Dominion Hall yesterday afternoon, Messrs J W McKay, C F Cornwall, H E Seelye, T H Long, J G Norris, D W Higgins and A DeCosmos were added to the Directory. Messrs Lumley Franklin [Chairman] R Burrell, R Burnaby, Jas Lowe, Thos Alsop, C W R Thomson, T H Long and J P Davies were appointed a Finance Committee. Messrs R Burnaby, James Lowe and A J Langley were appointed to select a place for holding the Show, and the Society then adjourned to meet at the call of the Secretary.

COUNTY COURT.—[Before Hon A F Pemberton.] — *McWha vs Baker Brothers*—Mr. Bishop appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. Courtney for the defendants. This suit was for goods supplied to defendants on Grouse Creek, and engaged the attention of the Court for a considerable time; but upon the application of Mr Bishop the plaintiff was nonsuited.

THE SUQUAASH COAL MINE.—We learn that capitalists have recently bought into this mine, which is situated near Fort Rupert. The steamer Emma, with Mr Wesley Huson and a party of colliers, started yesterday morning for the mine to establish a depot at Alert Bay on Commencement Island—a small island lying ten miles south of Suquaash—where they will build a wharf for the accommodation of steamers bound up and down the coast.

THE news of the death of Lord Arthur Pelham Clinton, at Christ Church, of scarlet fever, is not generally credited by the London press. It is believed that after feigning death he was spirited away by his friends and the dead body of a pauper substituted. It will be remembered that he was wanted by the police for complicity with Boulton and Park, the *bogus* women, who will be tried shortly at London before the Lord Chief Justice of England.

RED OCHRE WHISKEY.—Thomas Clay is charged with selling four kegs of alcohol, sweetened with sugar and colored with red ochre, to moisten the clay of Siwashes. The precious Todd-y was brought into Court and its appearance created a greater sensation than Todd's Spirits. Clay is remanded for one day.

THE H B Co's bark Princess Royal, from London, is due at this port about the middle of the month.

ON BAIL.—Mr J L Franklin of New Westminster, accompanied by Mr Robertson, his counsel, arrived from New Westminster last evening. Mr Franklin was admitted to bail by Mr Bushby, S M, in the sum of $1000—Messrs Scott and Picht becoming his sureties.

THE SAANICH SALE.—Conveyances will leave the Colonial Hotel for Saanich Parsonage at 8 o'clock this morning, carrying passengers at reduced prices. A lunch will be provided by Mr Franklin, who will commence selling at 12 o'clock.

AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE.—The afternoon performance at the Theatre this day ought to draw a full tent of parents and children. Two o'clock is the hour set for the commencement of the performance.

THE TERMS AND THE ELECTION.—It is rumored that the Terms of Confederation will not be published until October and that an election will not be ordered before the middle of November.

BURGLARY.—The game and poultry market of Mr W B Townsend on Fort street, above Douglas, was entered by burglars, who pried open the front doors, and carried off a large dish of eggs and some other articles.

ROAD TAX.—Yesterday Mr Mallandaine appeared and proved service of summons for nonpayment of Road Tax upon eleven parties, and the hearing of the cases was postponed for one day.

THE creditors of Overend & Gurney have received payment in full—principal and interest. The poor shareholders have bled that the creditors might live.

BREAKAGE.—The telegraph wires were broken on Yates street yesterday afternoon by a pile driver that was being removed to one of the wharves.

A LARGE SHIP, tacking off the harbor, yesterday, gave rise to a report that the Corsair had arrived from London.

ABSQUATULATED.—A jolly waterman of Esquimalt is missing from his mess. He leaves a number of mourners in the form of creditors.

THE steamer Enterprise is undergoing a process of purification and renovation, and will be ready for active service next week.

VENISON made its appearance in the market yesterday.

Thistles.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST—The thistle most common here, and one against which war should be waged to extermination, is the Scotch thistle. It is a biennial plant taking two years to mature its seed and then dies. It can be destroyed readily if cut down below the ground when it commences throwing up its flower stem J. CLAYTON,
Moss St Nursery.

Joint Surgeons.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—In the *Standard* of this morning I read that Bunster's little boy 'fell from a loft and broke both arms;' and that 'Drs. Trimble and Turner *set the joints*.'

May I ask—meaning no offence to your contemporary—why in thunder they didn't set the bones?

MEDIC-ASS.

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

CHICAGO, Aug 2—The *Times'* Washington special says the investigation into charges made by a colored cadet at West Point, do not so far substantiate them.

The prospect is most certain that there will be two colored members of the House in the Fortieth Session of Congress, James Harris, from the Fourth Congressional District of North Carolina, and R B Elliott, Assistant Adjutant of South Carolina from the Fourth District of that State. In the latter case the contest is between Hogan and White, the present member. Elliott has a colored majority of several thousand, and his election is certain.

There are indications of trouble in North Carolina in connection with the coming election. The Raleigh *Standard*, received here last night, advises its friends to arm themselves and be on their guard upon the eve of the election.

Advices from Canton, Illinois, says a terrible pestilence is spreading through all the towns on the Illinois river, above and below Canton. It is thought to be caused by effluvia arising from thousands of decaying fish which, for a long distance on either hand, line the banks. The people along the bottoms are being compelled to go back to the bluffs.

Europe.

LONDON, August 2—The *Daily News* says. 'We have every reason to be content with the condition of our national defenses which with the augmentative power provided will be quite adequate to secure neutrality, and might, if accident should befall us, quickly expand into a force quite strong enough to sustain us in any struggle.

Our appeal to arbitration of arms is the very last to which we should willingly resort, but we may rest assured that it is not so far distant from the thoughts of the Ministry as to be deemed impossible, nor so alien as to find them unprepared.'

PARIS, Aug 2—This evening an official dispatch from Metz announces that to-day at 11 o'clock the French had a serious engagement with the Prussians Our army took the offensive, crossed the frontier and invaded the territory of Prussia. In spite of the numbers and position of the enemy a few of our gallant troops were sufficient to carry the heights which overlook Saarbrucken and our artillery was not slow to drive the enemy from the town. Our loss is light. The engagement commenced at 11 and ended at 1. The Prince Imperial, who accompanied the Emperor everywhere, received on this, his first field of battle, his baptism of fire His presence of mind and *sang froid* in danger are worthy of the name he bears.

PARIS, Aug 2—Prussia demanded an explanation from Austria why she is arming.

German journals are terribly exasperated against England because she continues to furnish supplies to France. The Empress visited the French army and was received with enthusiasm. The *Figaro* announces that the Government has refused the offer of General Sheridan to serve in the French army. The first instalment of the French troops from Rome has arrived at Marseilles.

VIENNA, Aug 2 — Austria is mobilizing 50,000 men to watch Bohemia. A correspondent says Beust has positive proof that in 1866 Prussia offered France the cession of Belgium in return for aid against Austria.

MAYENCE, Aug 2—King William arrived this morning with several members of his staff.

ROME, Aug 2 — Italy is concentrating troops on the Roman frontier.

It is said that Gladstone is determined not to yield to the growing feeling of the people against the Ministry.

The *Times* thinks the neutrality law is inadequate and needs amending. It publishes letters representing English defences to be in a deplorable state and that English cavalry and artillery are inadequate to compete with any formidable enemy; the army transports are imperfect for the conveyance of troops, and there are only 25,000 men available to garrison the whole Kingdom.

Prussia indignantly repudiates the design with which she has been charged of taking advantage of the war in Europe to invade the Danubian Principalities.

NEW YORK, Aug 2—The *Herald's* cable dispatch from Florence of the 2d says that in conformity with the decision of a Council of Generals, held on the 23d ult, the effective force of the Italian army is being rapidly raised to 120,000. A camp of 22,000 has been established between Mantuau and Verona. Two corps of observation are forming on the Pontificial frontier. It is the intention of the Italian government to enter Rome as soon as the French withdraw, on a plea of protection.

Private dispatches report a naval engagement on Wednesday at the mouth of the Elbe, in which a Prussian gunboat was sunk.

Gen Falkenstien has issued a proclamation to the people on the coast of the North and Baltic Seas, calling on them to arise against invasion.

A London special dispatch gives the conclusion of the debate in the House of Commons. Messrs. Cardwell and Gladstone were cheered, and so was the Secretary of War when he said the army is at present only 2560 men below its establishment of 178,000.

Disraeli's demand for army [armed?] neutrality was applauded on the Conservative side; and it is more clear than ever that the popular feeling goes beyond the Government. There are not wanting members of Parliament or journals who would prohibit France from buying arms or coal. Gladstone's strong point was in proving that the English military force, so far from being diminished, was actually augmented.

LONDON, August 2—The presence of armies on the frontiers of France and on the Rhenish Provinces of Prussia has given rise to grave apprehensions of famine there.

Evidence hourly accumulates of the superiority of the needle gun over the Chassepot and the fact creates deep concern in France.

The Pall Mall *Gazette* now estimates that the Prussian army now on the frontier numbers 500,000 men.

Extreme activity is noticeable in English ports and dockyards. Extensive preparations are being made to put the coast defenses in a condition to resist attack.

LONDON, August 2—In the Council of Ministers Saturday the supplementary appropriation list was agreed to after a hard struggle.

It is understood that Earl Granville is in favor of giving distinct notification to France and Prussia of England's determination to maintain the independence of Belgium and Luxembourg.

Cuba.

NEW YORK, Aug 2—A Havana correspondent gives the details of more executions, Skirmishing and fighting still go on in the mountains and hills. Yellow fever and cholera are doing the Spanish army much more harm than the Cubans. The Spanish gunboats are closely watching the coast for the steamer Salvanoora, which is reported to have recently left this port for Cuba with arms, ammunition and men.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, Aug 3—The California will meet the Oriflamme a few miles below the city and receive the different parties who are passengers with Ben Holliday on the California to meet the Count and Countess Pourtales. The steamer Cascades, with friends of Senator Williams and Gen Canby and the Oneonta with friends of Congressman Smith and Hon Ben J M Stark. In the U S District Court Wm C McKay of Masco County has brought a claim for damages against Jas A Campbell for refusing his vote at the last election and claiming the right to vote under the 15th amendment act. There are five other cases of the same nature. The St Charles hotel was open for the reception of guests on Monday. It has been fitted up in a superior manner. The railroad bridge across the Mollala river is completed and eight miles of track has been laid this season. Three ships laden with railroad iron are over due at this city.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 2—Hon. Wm. H. Seward writes that he will arrive in San Francisco in the latter part of August and sail for the East. He intends visiting Yeddo and Pekin before cold weather and will spend the winter in the milder climate of topical Asia.

Flour—Local brands as follows—superfine in sacks, $5 37½@$5 50. Extra do, $6 37½ @$6 50.

Wheat—Choice new, $1 80.

CORRINNE, August 2—Election in this Territory passed of quietly dispatches from Salt Lake placed Liberal vote at 500. Mormon women voted.

HAMILTON, August 2—On Saturday last a man named Allen was shot by accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 2—Arrived—Bark Coloma, 153 days from Boston.

The *Bulletin* is out this evening but with small amount of reading matter. The Call secured quite a force of printers to-day and the proprietors anticipate no further trouble though they will be short handed for the present. The strikers are gathering in knots on streets at their old places of employment but no violent demonstrations have been made.

The sale of tickets for the Mercantile Library Lottery will probably close in a few days, and it is believed now the drawing will take place promptly, according to announcement.

The steamer Idaho has been withdrawn from the Portland route and will sail for Victoria and Puget Sound ports on Aug 4th at 4 p m.

The *Alta* compositors are not on a strike, as reported, the proprietors having acceded at once to their demand, and a full staff was at work when the dispatches were sent.

A CHANCE FOR BARGAINS IN CLOTHING.—A. Gilmore, Yates street, near Government, has commenced to sell off his entire stock of readymade clothing AT COST, to close out that branch of his business, as he intends to confine his attention to MERCHANT TAILORING. Garments of every description made to order in the most fashionable styles at greatly reduced prices. *

WHEN you go to Port Townsend and want a good dinner and an agreeable hostess stop at the Washington Hotel. *

Charles Dickens before he was Famous—As Described by N. P. Willis.

I was following a favorite amusement of mine one day in the Strand London, strolling toward the more crowded thoroughfares, with cloak and umbrella, and looking at people and shop windows. I heard my name called by a passenger in a street cab. From out of the smoke of the wet straw peered the head of my publisher, Macrone (a most liberal and noble-hearted fellow, since dead.) After a little catechism as to my damp destiny that morning, he informed me that he was going to visit Newgate, and asked to me join him. I willingly agreed, never having seen this famous prison, and after I was seated in the cab, he said he was going to pick up on the way a young paragraphist for the *Morning Chronicle*, who wished to write a description of it. In the most crowded part of Holborn within a door or two of the Bull and Mouth Inn (the great stopping and starting place of the stages,) we pulled up at the entrance of a large building used for lawyers' chambers. Not to leave me sitting in the rain, Macrone asked me to dismount with him. I followed a long flight stairs to an upper story, and was ushered into an uncarpeted and bleak looking room, with a deal table, two or three chairs and a few books, a small boy and Dickens for the contents. I was only struck with one thing (and I made a memorandum of it that evening, as the strongest instance I had seen of English obsequiousness to employers) the degree to which the poor author was overpowered with the honor of his publisher's visit! I remember saying to myself, as I sat on a rickety chair, 'My good fellow, if you were in America, with that fine face and your ready quill, you would have no need to be condescended to by a publisher.' Dickens was dressed very much as he has since described Dick Swiveller — minus the swell look. His hair was cropped close to his head, his clothes scant, though jauntily cut, and after changing a ragged office coat for a shabby blue, he stood by the door, collarless and buttoned up, the very personification, I thought of a close sailer to the wind. We went down and crowded into the cab (one passenger more than the law allowed, and Dickens partly in my lap and partly in Macrone's, and drove on to Newgate. In his works, if you remember, there is a description of the prison drawn from this day's observation. We were there an hour or two, and were shown some of the celebrated murderers confined for life, and one young soldier waiting for execution; and in one of the passages we chanced to meet Mrs. Fry, on her usual errand of benevolence. Though interested in Dickens' face I forgot him, naturally enough, after we entered the prison, and I do not think I heard him speak during the two hours. I parted from him at the door of the prison, and continued my stroll into the city. Not long after this Macrone sent me the sheets of Sketches by Boz, with a note saying that they were by the gentleman who went with us to Newgate. I read the book with an zement at the genius displayed in it, and in my note of reply assured Macrone that I thought his fortune was made as a publisher if he could monoplize the author.

Two or three years after I was in London, and was present at the complimentary dinner given to Macready. Samual Lover, who sat next to me, pointed out Dickens. I looked up and down the table, but was wholly unable to single him out without getting my friend to number the people who sat above him; he was no more like the same man I had seen than a tree in June is like the same tree in February. He sat leaning his head on his hand while Bulwer was speaking, and with his very flash waistcoat, his chains and rings, and a much paller face than of old, he was was totally unrecognizable. The comparison very interesting to me, and I looked at him a long time. He was then in the culmination of popularity, and seemed jaded to stupefication. Remembering the glorious works he had writen since I had seen him, I longed to pay him my homage, but had no opportunity, and I did not see him again till he came over to reap here his harvest and upset his haycart in America. When all the ephemera of his imprudences and improvidences shall have passed away — say twenty years hence — I should like to see him again, renowned as he will be for the most original and remarkable genius of his time.

Wreck of the Gunboat 'Slaney.'

The Hongkong *Press* gives the following particulars of the loss of the British gunboat Slaney:

H M gunboat Slaney left Sinapore on the 14th of April, for Hongkong. On the morning of May the 4th a gale commenced from the northeast, the wind having been from the southwest previously, and the vessel running with studding sails. On the 5th and 6th it continued to blow very heavily, the barometer falling to 28 04. The ship hove to, with storm maintopsail very easy, but the sea breaking heavily over her. On the 7th the gale was more violent, but the wind remained steady at the northeast. On this day, she lost the jolly-boat, Captain's gig and dingy, and at midnight the whale [boat ?] was washed away. On the morning of the 8th, about 7:80, the foremast went over the side, taking with it the jib-boom and maintopsail, the wind cotinuing strong and heavy, and the barometer standing at 28. During the gale, which was indeed a typhoon, the Slaney made very bad weather, and labored heavily being most of the time under water. On Monday the 9th was lying to, with the fires banked, heading to the northwest: at 9 o'clock P. M., got steam up and proceeded, steering northwest, the gale abating. At 20 minutes after midnight the ship struck, going about 2 knots at the time, the engines were stopped, but, before they could be stopped was fast on the reef, the sea pooping and flooding the whole after part of the hull in such a manner that one engineer was drowned in his berth all hands were engaged until daylight on the part of the upper deck in the construction of a raft. At daylight saw land on both bows, small Islands, distant about 10 miles, and 5 to 6 from the wreck, but the surf was breaking and washing over all, as bad as before. About 6 o'clock launched the raft over the starboard bow, when its painter parted; orders were passed that all who could not swim should take to it, to reach the shore—those who could swim went to it, although all did not reach it, and those who could not swim stuck to the hull, and it turned out their lives were saved. When the raft left the ship, it got well over that part of the reef on which the rollers were heaviest; those on it then appeared to have cast adrift the lashings, and to have divided it among them, but all failed to have reached the shore, save three, one European and two Chinese. At the time the raft left, the Commander, Lieut. Elwin, called out 'You must do the best you can for your lives, lads; I am no raftsman,' and he then plunged into the water, accompanied by Pink, quarter-master. They were seen clear of the reef in smooth water, with what was supposed to be a good prospect of fetching the land; but they have not been heard of since. The survivors, that is the seven who remained by the wreck, did not leave it until the P. M., of the 14th, during which time they were without food and water, having only a little tobacco, when a fishing came junk and said that there was another wreck not far off, and carried three of the party to it, thecoming afterwards. Here the sur-survivors of the Slaney found the master and crew of the Carnatacus, also wrecked like themselves, but having clothes and provisions saved from the vessel, and the two parties became one, until an engagement was made with one of the junks for a passage to Hainam.

Subjoined is the list of those lost:

List of officers and men lost—William E L Elwyn, Lieut Com; Robert S Evatt, Naval Sub-Lieut; W F Ryall, Assistant Surgeon; James Young, Engineer, 1st class; Edward George Wells, Chief-Gunner's mate; Alexander Todd, boat-wain's mate; Benjamin Pink and Thomas Owen, Quartermasters; and 30 others.

REMEMBER THE FATE OF ABSALOM.—Fred Payne, Tonsorial Artist. Shaving 12½ cents, Hair Cutting 25 cents, Shampooing 25 cents That Original Cheap Shaving Shop stands on the sunny side of Johnson street.

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ALSO

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ALSO,

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Mortgagee's Sale---Cadboro Bay Property!

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This medicine is so well known in every part of the world, and the cures effected by its use are so wonderful as to astonish every one. Its pre-eminence as a remedy for billious and liver complaints and derangements of the stomach and bowels, is no longer a matter of dispute or doubt. In these diseases the beneficial effects of Holloway's invaluable Pills are so permanent and extensive, that the whole system is renovated, the organs of digestion strengthened, and full and easy assimilation protected, so that both physical and moral energy are increased

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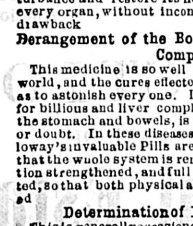
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For **Dysentery** or **Diarrhœa**, but one mild dose is generally required.

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An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, restores the appetite, and invigorates the system. Hence it is often advantageous where no serious derangement exists. One who feels tolerably well, often finds that a dose of these *Pills* makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.

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COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY
D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

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Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9

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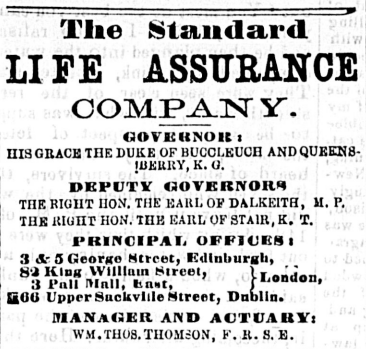
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Capital, - - $10,000,000

INSURES BUILDINGS, WARES, MERCHANDISE, Ships, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire

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OF SEA PINE SAP.

These two preparations are invaluable and taken with the utmost success for consumption and the various diseases of the chest, and especially for coughs, colds, catarrhs, influenza, hooping cough, bronchitis, asthma, and also for the different affections, of the urinary organs

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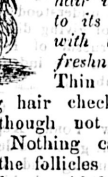
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OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF EDKAHN, 19 years old, has lost a joint of the right fore-finger, has black eyes and is tall and stout for his age. Last heard from at Victoria on the 12th April last, when he was bound for the Peace River Mines. Address

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New Advertisements.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

ESTABLISHED 1825.

CONSTITUTED BY SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

THE FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY was held at Edinburgh on Tuesday, the 26th April, 1870,

ANDREW WOOD, Esq, M D, in the Chair.

THE MANAGER submitted to the Meeting,—

The Annual Report of the Directors and Balance-Sheet of the Company's Affairs.

The Annual Report on the Books and Accounts by the Auditor of the Company, certifying that he had found the whole Accounts accurately stated and properly vouched.

THE FOLLOWING ARE EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT:—

THE PROGRESS OF THE COMPANY DURING THE PAST YEAR HAS BEEN of a very satisfactory character, and it is matter of congratulation that, during a period of great distrust and dissatisfaction in the Assurance world, the business of this Company has increased, not decreased.

THE NEW ASSURANCE TRANSACTIONS PROPOSED to the Company from 16th November 1868 to 15th November 1869, the Company's financial year, amounted to the large sum of £1,460,867, 2s. 9d., contained in 2026 Proposals—of which 407, for assuring £350,520 were not considered eligible, and declined.

THE NEW POLICIES ISSUED during the year were 1619 in number, and the Assurances effected amounted to the large sum of £1,110,347, 2s. 9d. the new Annual Premiums being £38,532, 2s. 8d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH amounted to £322,117, 11s. 8d., the number of deaths being 564; and the Bonus Additions to the Policies which became claims amounted to the further sum of £36,649, 10s. 10d.

THE INCOME OF THE COMPANY received during the year ending 15th November 1869, amounted to £710,428 16s. 3.

THE INVESTED FUNDS, as shown on the Balance-Sheet, which follows, had reached the sum £4,284,648 7s 3d.

THESE are the Results of the year; but the following additional particulars as to the Company may also be interesting:—

THE NEW BUSINESS OFFERED to the Company since the last Division of Profits in 1865—that is, in four years—has amounted to £5,652,481, 12s. 7d., the number of Proposals being 8738.

THE NEW POLICIES issued during the same period have been 7254, for Assurances to the amount of £4,632,414, 5s. 5d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH which the Company have met during the four years have amounted to £1,268,126, 4s. 6d. with Bonus Additions to the amount of £178,132, 5s. 7d.

AND

THE SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1869 were £16,345,419, 2s. 6d, of which £931,819, 12s was reassured with other Offices.

THE BALANCE-SHEET of the Company's Affairs, as at 15th November 1869, is as follows:—

BALANCE-SHEET OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,
AS AT 15TH NOVEMBER, 1869.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
Capital paid up		£ 120 000	0 0	Mortgages on Landed Estate		£2,682,336	6 6
Assurance Fund		3,679,732	10 11	Freehold and Leasehold Properties and Landed Estate		276,523	4 10
Annuity Fund		228,058	1 3	Loans on the Company's Policies (within the Surrender Value thereof)		213,288,	13 1
Reversionary Transactions		71,500	0 0	British Government Securities		57 933	19 10
Claims admitted but not yet due		167,257	16 2	Indian Government Securities		15,168	16 0
Amount held on Deposit in connection with uncompleted transactions		16,795	10 5	Canadian Government Securities		33,961	13 11
Dividends outstanding		1,304	8 6	Invested abroad in connection with Colonial Business		39,742	15 8
				Stocks of Scottish Chartered Banks		24,154	8 4
				Railway Debentures, Debenture Stock, and Preference Stocks		277 349	4
				Life Interests, Reversions, and Annuities purchased		77,180	
				Loans upon Personal Security in connection with Policies		43,235	1
				Premiums in course of collection at Head Office and Agencies		174,930	18
				Proportion of Interest current		26,245	4
				CASH.—On Deposit with Bankers	£14,829 14 7		
				On Current account with Bankers	69,979 10 0		
						84,809	13
				Value of Re-assurances with other Companies		244,406	16 1
				Other Assets		66,440	11
		£4 284,648	7 3			£4 284,648	7

THIS BALANCE-SHEET shows distinctly how the Funds of the Company are invested; and a Special Committee has been appointed to examine and report on each separate transaction, preparatory to the Declaration of Profits next year. That this report will be one of unqualified approval the Directors have every confidence, as the same gentlemen who have agreed to undertake the duty will be able to report in as favorable terms as the Committee of 1865, the period of last investigation.

THE EIGHTH DIVISION OF PROFITS

falls to be made as at 15th November, 1870. The necessary Investigation which precedes the declaration of Profits has been in progress for some time, and the Directors hope to be able to submit their Report early in 1871.

THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT BONUS PERIOD ON 15TH NOVEMBER, 1870,

Persons assuring before that date being entitled to a share in the division of Profits to be made in 1871, which will include the whole divisable profits which have arisen since 15th November, 1865.

GUARANTEED SURRENDER VALUES.

The Directors have adopted FIXED SURRENDER VALUES, as fully stated in Report

The Report having been unanimously approved of—The Establishment of the Company, after filling up vacancies in the usual manner, was arranged as follows for the ensuing year:

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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD,
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